# THREE DEAD IN EXPLOSION

Crown Sheet in Rio Grande Engine Blows Up With Terrific Results.

ACCIDENT AT SOLDIER SUMMIT

William A. Goodale, Arthur B. Spear, and Leslie Matthis Yield Their Lives.

All Residents of Salt Lake City-Explosion Shakes Country for Miles Around.

Three men, residents of Salt Lake, are dead and their bodies are being carried toward this city on a special engine as the result of an explosion of the crown sheet in freight engine No. 1.190, on the Denver & Rio Grande railroad on the mountain about a mile east of Soldier Summit. 90 miles south of Salt Lake, at 5:45 o'clock this morning.

The explosion threw the engine 100 feet from the track, shaking the country for miles around, and snuffed out the lives of the three men quicker than one can snuff a candle. It is doubtful if any one of the three knew what hurt him.

The men to lose their lives were William A. Goodale, engineer, aged 26, unmarried, and residing with parents at 625 west First South street. Salt Lake: Arthur B. Spear, fireman, 23. unmarried, and residing with parents at 963 west Second North street, Salt Lake, and Elbert Leslie Matthis, 24, unmarried, residing 230 west Second South street, Salt Lake, his mother, Mrs. E. C. Wright, living at Hollister, San Benito county, Cal. The engine was one of the "great hog" pattern, weighing 158 tons and carrying 225 pounds of steam, hauling 18 loaded cars at about six miles an hour, with T. F. Durkin, conductor.

The force of the explosion was such as to hurl the unfortunate engine runner 300 feet from the scene, tear the enormous 7-ft, boiler from its 4%-in. wrought iron frame, and send the great mass hurtling through the air 100 feet, with the back head and crown sheet torn to shreds, and spreading out the flues in all directions.

BODIES FOUND.

The fireman's body was found buried under the debris where the downward force of the explosion had excavated hole 10 feet deep, and destroyed the The brakeman's body was discovered underneath the overturned tender. The right of way was demoralized for some little distance, obstructing travel, and it was difficult to communicate by tapping the wire with sources of help, as the concussion had blown down all the wires. In fact, it was 7:50 this morning before wire con nections could be sufficiently restored so that a wrecking outfit could be summoned from Helper, arriving at the scene by noon. Tucker also sent out a full wrecking outlit with a force of men, so that the roadbed was sufficiently repaired for trains to pass on the west track at 9:30. Trains Nos. 1, and 7 were delayed only 40 minutes, but No. 62 was held up for nearly four hours. Master Mechanic Bennett went

down on No. 6 this morning.

The bodies were expected to arrive about 2 nm. on extra Western Pacific engine No. 18. Undertaker Evans was notified to take charge of the bodies. PROBABLE CAUSE.

As all the men who were on the en-ine were killed, and the engine completely demolished, an investigation n hardly more than establish the fact that it was a crown sheet explosion. From the nature of things, suspicions point toward carelessness born of sleep-iness as the cause of the disaster. With an engine running up hill, there is a maximum depth of water on the crown sheet, so that chances of trouble from this source are reduced to a minimum But after an engine has pitched over the divide, the water's depth over the crown sheet tends to a minimum, re-quiring watchfulness and care on the part of the runner. It is then that he ist watch his water gage, frequent-test his gage cocks on the backhead the boiler, and have his injectors in prime working order ready to instant ly respond. It is thought probable the nginemen must have dropped off to leep, the engine was making steam apidly and working hard up the grade, and before they were aware, the evap-orating water left the crown sheet unprotected, the tremendous steam pressure made the hurning sheet of steel yield the sooner, and then the explosion came, sending three souls into eter-

nity without notice. LAST BIG ACCIDENT. No such spectacular accident has oc curred on the Rio Grande since but a short time after it was standard gauged when a mixed coal and empty car train ran away on the grade west of Soldier Summit. As far as could be ascer-Summit. As far as could be ascer tained the engineer was endeavoring to see how near he could come to the danger line in running rapidly down that steep grade, and he overdid it. The train got presently beyond his control; and with engine reversed, sand hox open and working backward with live steam the full length of the cylinders, tha locomotive went flying down the hill, at over a mile a minute. Just ahead was a wild engine, running in the same direction; and it was only a very brief time before the runaway train banged into the single locomotive, and, away went both, followed by several hundred tons of coal over the brow of the hill and down into the canyon. It was one of the most complete wrecks on record. Both locomotives were stripped clean of every semblance to running gear or exterior fittings, so that they had to be entirely rebuilt. When the boilers were brought into Salt Lake, they were covered with mud, looking as though they had just been fished out of the bottom of San Francisco harbor after a lapse of years. The trucks, broken running gear, wheels, etc., were hauled in on flat cars. Two of the enginemen were killed.

# MYSTERIOUS CASE OF MISTAKEN IDENTITY

Body Recognized by Father as That Of His Son Returned, the Not Very Grateful Son Being Alive,

Philadelphia, Dec. 3.-Following last night's revelation of mistaken identity the police of this city today were compelled to make a fresh effort to identify the man who shot and fatally wounded George W. Barnett, a special policeman and was in turn killed by Barnett who was looking for burglars in west Philadelphia last Wednesday night The body of a stranger, which had been positively identified by Leon Wiener of Boston as that of his son Hyman, has been feturned to the city morgue after having been taken last night from the train that was about to

night from the train that was about to start for Boston. Hyman Wiener the supposed dead man who was found in a tenderloin saloon last night is still detained at the city hall.

The elder Wiener was dumbfounded and at the same time overjoyed when last night he was summoned from the train as he was about to leave for Boston and confronted by his son at police, headquarters. It was a drapolice headquarters. It was a dra-matic moment when the son was brought into the father's presence.

The detectives looked for an effecting scene but Hyman the instant

he saw his father became angered and "So I'm a dope fiend and no good, am 1?"

The father, grlef stricken, says he had identified the body as that of his son and almost speechless with the subsequent developments simply said: "I only told the truth when I was asked." I am glad that you are alive."

BIG FIRE IN PETERSBURG, VA. Petersburg, Va., Dec. 3.—Seven busi-ness houses located in the heart of the business section of Petersburg were, destroyed by fire early today at a loss of approximately \$500,000, partly cov-ered by insurance.

MURDERED IN HER HOME.

Sistersville, W. Va., Dec. 3.—Early today the coroner's jury concluded the inquiry which lasted through last night into the death of Mrs. Elizabeth Allen and verdict was that she had been murdered by some unknown person in her home.

Immediately presecutor K. C. Moore

announced that three persons were under surveillance der survellance.

It developed today that Mrs. Allen had an annual income of \$10,000, and that she seldom kept less than \$5,000 at her home while the amount was often as high as \$30,000.

#### F. W. LEHMANN APPOINTED SOLICITOR GENERAL

Washington, Dec. 3.—Announcement was made at the White House today of the appointment of Frederick W. Lehmann of St. Louis to be solicitor-general of the United States to fill the vacancy caused by the death of Lloyd W. Bowers.

Mr. Lehmann was born in Prussia in Mr. Lehmann was born in Prussia in 1835. He was gradunted from Tabor college, Iowa in 1873 and was admitted to the bar that year. For the last 20 years, Mr. Lehmann has practised at law in St. Louis. He was president of the American Bar association, chairman of the board of free holders of the city of St. Louis, a body charged with framing the new city charter, and is president of the St. Louis library board.

#### CARNEGIE MEDALS **GRANTED FRENCH HEROES**

Paris, Dec. 3.-The Carnegle hero fund commission for France today made its awards for acts of heroism performed during the last year. Eighteen persons, the majority of whom sacrificed their lives for others re-ceive sums ranging from \$20 to \$600. The feats of courage include stopping runaway horses, jumping into rivers snatching children from in front railroad trains and rescues at sea.

# VASSAR CHEFS STRIKE.

Poughkeepsie, N. Y., Dec. 3.-The chefs in Vassar college are on strike, and a thousand students are wondering what kind of dinner they will get for the next few days. The chefs objected to hav-ing the number of their assistants cut down, claiming it would mean longer hours of work

The college authorities will now put the departments in the hands of the assistants. They expect that the trouble will be shortlived.

#### CAUGHT BY MAIL HOOK **HURLED LONG DISTANCE**

Platteville, Colo., Dec. 3.-Caught by the mail crane of a swiftly moving express train yesterday, F. G. Tiffany, a Union Pacific brakeman, was carried several hundred yards like a fish on a hook and then hurled 100 feet through the air. He escaped with severe cuts and bruises. Tiffany was climbing down the ladder of a freight car in front of the Platteville station wher hooked" by the passing express train

#### POPULATION OF STATE OF IDAHO 325,594

Washington, Dec. 3.—Population statistics of the thirteenth census were issued today for the following states: Colorado, 799,024, an increase of 259, 324, or 48.0 per cent over 539,700 in 1900, when the increase over 1890 was 127,502, or 30.9 per cent.

Idaho, 325,594, an increase of 163,822,

or 91.6 per cent.

Nevada, 81,875, an increase of 39,540 or 93.4 per cent over 42,335 in 1900, when the population showed a decrease of 3.426, or 7.5 per cent from that of 1890. Oregon, 672,765, an increase of 259,229, or 62.7 per cent over 413,536 in 1900, when the increase over 1890 was 99,769 or 31.8 per cent:

or 101.3 per cent over 161,772 in 1900 when the increase over 1890 was 77,385

# ROBINSON GETS LIMIT.

L. P. Robinson, found guilty of selling iquor without a license, in the Third district court on Wednesday, was given district court on Wednesday, was given the maximum sentence, a fine of \$299, by Judge Lewis in the criminal division of the court this morning, after the court had overruled a motion for a new trial. A thirty days' stay of execution was granted and Robinson will take his case to the supreme court on appeal from the police court, where he was found guilty and given a jail sentence.

# DIAZ MAY BRING PEACE TO MEXICO

His Commission Leaves Chihuahua With Flag of Truce Flying From the Locomotive.

#### TO MEET REVOLUTIONISTS

Will Discuss With Their Leaders Ways And Means for Ending Pres-

Chihuahua, Mex., Dec. 2 (via El Paso, Dec. 3) .- A special train bearing a peace commission of four members anpointed by President Diaz, left here tonight with a flag of truce flying from the engine. The commissioners go to discuss with the revolutionary leaders ways and means of bringing the present disturbances to an end.

The letter from the president was received today, naming the following as commissioners:

Judge Jose M. Danders, Dr. Garcia Cardenas and Senorez Amador and Santiago Gonzales.

All are prominent citizens of this city. The news of the appointment of a commission occasioned considerable surprise, as It is said to be the first time in 30 years that the government has sought thus to treat with insurrectos.

WILL BE NO FOOLING.

The commissioners, among other things, will endeavor to ascertain just what grievances afflict the revolutionists. Terms of peace will be discussed and report made to the national capital. The insurgents will be given to understand that if they persist in bearing arms against the government they will be given a lesson which will leave the state of Chihuahua in peace for many years.

The departure of the commission had no effect on the military prepara-

While waiting for reinforcements the local troops have been thoroughly inspected and the work of gathering supplies for a campaign proceeds daily.

Water must be carried over much of the route. Scouts are in the hills daily. Occasionally they catch sight of small scouting parties of the enemy but there has been no fighting since Tuesday at Pardenalles.

Forty of the government troops who were in that fight and who escaped are reported as entering this city by a circuitous route to avoid the in-

surgents. Two troops of the government forces Two troops of the government forces from Sonora marching in the direction of Guerrero, which is now held by 65 regulars were reported at Batolias today. They still have about 10 days marching ahead of them providing they do not encounter the revolutionists before reaching their destination. Heavy patrols march nightly through the streets here. This is largely a prethe streets here. This is largely a pre-caution against an uprising of revolu-tionary sympathizers within the city. There is no doubt that should the in-surgents now in the mountains suc-ced in gaining the city they would find many ready to join them.

#### CHIHUAHUA TOWNS IN INSURGENTS' HANDS

El Paso, Dec. 3.—J. E. Farrington of Battle Creek, Mich., and Dorrance Benson of Detroit, arriving here this morning from Madera and Temosachic n Chihuahua, declare that every town that insurrectos were marching on that town. They say that their train was inspected several times en route to was inspected several times on route to Chihuahua from Madera by rebels and that nobody was molested. The rebels only said they were looking for Mexican soldiers.

Confirmation is heard of the report

that the Mexican government is at-tempting to get the rebels to surrender without fighting, and that Mexican officers are being sent out to talk with hem, tendering the revolutionists official standing and belligerent rights.

#### REPORT OF BATTLE OF PADERNALLES CONFIRMED

Chihuahua, Mex., Dec. 2 (via El Paso, Dec. 3).—Reports of the battle of Paderalles Tuesday are confirmed. Some of he Mexican regulars taken prison went over to the rebels. The Mexican soldiers in the fight were those who left the train at San Andreas on Sept. 22, when the train was wrecked. They had been living in the country and hunger drove them to Padernalles, where the fight occurred. The revolutionists are not all peons, but many ranchers are in the number, and it is thought are in the number, and it is thought that the revolutionary commandant at San Andreas was Francisco Valdez Y Vasquez, an assayer of Chihuahua. Gov. Jose María Sanchez expects further ac-tive fighting in Chihuahua state.

#### GRAND TRUNK PACIFIC DOCK DEDICATED

Seattle, Wash., Dec. 3 .- The Grand Trunk Pacific dock, the Pacific termin-us in the United States of Canada's transcontinental railroad, was dedicated today with exercises in which the international importance of the oc-casion as marking a further linking of Canada and the United States was

brought out. Grand Trunk is completing its The Grund Trunk is completing its main line from the Atlantic coast to Prince Rupert, B. C., and will later build north to the Yukon and south to Vancouver and Seattle. Large steamers ply between Vancouver, Seattle, Vancouver and Prince Rupert, using the new dock.

#### ELIHU ROOT APPOINTED AMERICAN ARBITRATOR

Washington, Dec. 3.—Senator Ellhu Root of New York was today appointed permanent arbitrator representing America at The Hague tribunal, succeeding the late Chief Justice Fuller of the supreme court, who held that honor. The appointment was announced at the White House by President Taft. President Taft.

# APPOINTMENTS TO AGENT KILLED U. S. SUPREME COURT

Prest, Taft Has Begun Consideration Of Them but No Definite Selections Have Been Made.

Washington, Dec. 3.-President Taft, having his message out of the way, has begun final consideration of his forthcoming appointments to the supreme court and to the court of com

Mr. Taft declares that all reports as Mr. Taft declares that all reports as to states, etc., are pure guesswork and that he is still of an open mind and would listen to the claims of several scores of 'candidates. He has talked with several senators and representatives. His most extended judiciary conference was with Circuit Judge Sanborn of St. Paul.

as supreme court timber, but has been eliminated from consideration because of his participation in the Standard Oil decision. Mr. Taft also talked with former Atty-Gen. Griggs, of New Jersey. Associate Justice Swayzee, and Union Justice Gummere of the New Jersey state supreme court, and Chancellor

Judge Sanborn has been considered

Pittney were discussed. The general impression is that if, a selection is made from New Jersey, it will be Judge Swayzee. Former Senator Long headed a delegation of Kansans who urged the ap-pointment of District Judge John C. Pollock of Kansas, to the supreme

# CUNNINGHAM HELD TO DISTRICT COURT

Checker at The Louvre Cafe Bound Over on the Charge of Conspiracy.

Charles Cunningham, checker at the ouvre cafe, was bound over to the district court this morning by Judge J. J. Whitaker of the criminal division of the city court to await trial on the charge of conspiracy to defraud. His bail was not fixed by the court this morning, but an application will be made Monday. In all there are six complaints against Cunningham of the same nature, and Asst. County Atty.
John Jensen asked that four of them
be dismissed this morning, which was
done. The complaint on which Cunningham was bound over charges him with having entered a criminal con-spiracy with C. A. Watkins, J. E. Robilnson, D. Turner, Charles Davis and H. Jones, who are negro waiters, to de-fraud E. L. Willie, proprietor of the cafe, out of money for meals by using duplicate checks. The others will be given their preliminary hearing next

T. W. Willis end Watson pleaded guilty and were bound over to the Third district court. Their ball was fixed in the sum of \$250, which was deposited. Both these walters took the stand and testified against Cunning-ham, giving the details of the alleged

# DEATH OF SHARP WALKER.

Well Known Business Man Died of Heart Fallure.

Sharp Walker, a widely known business man, died Friday evening at 7:45 o'clock in the Brooks Arcade building, from heart disease. Mr. Walker, aside from having a very severe cold, seemed to be in perfect health. He entered the building, and seating himself at a table, passed away without a word or sign of suffering. Dr. S. G. Paul was called, but before he arrived Mr. Walker

called, but before he arrived Mr. Walker was dead.

'The decensed was the youngest son of Mrs. S. S. Walker, widow of S. S. Walker, and was unmarried. He was forty-three years old, and had resided with his mother at the old Walker residence, 1081 east South Temple. He is survived by four sisters, Mrs. M. R. Stewart and Mrs. O. K. Lewis, both of Salt Lake; Mrs. W. C. Lewis of Butte, Mont., and Mrs. W. H. Simmons of Reno, Nev. He was president of the S. S. Walker estate corporation, and also held shares in many other organizations. zations.

# RECORD HAUL OF FISH.

George Madsen Catches 17,000 Pounds Of Carp With Seine in Utah Lake,

(Special to The News.) Provo. Dec. 3.-George Madsen of the firm of Madsen Bros.' company yesterday caught 17,000 pounds of fish in one netfull, thereby establishing a record netfull, thereby establishing a record for the largest quantity of fish ever taken in one haul from the waters of Utah lake. The fish were caught one and one-half miles off the mouth of Spanish Fork river, and consisted of 11 boat loads. Two trips were made to haul the fish to land, towed by gasoline launches. Ninety per cent of the fish caught were carp, there being only five trout and no bass. The second largest number of fish caught in one haul, was made by the same people, and consisted of 11.000 pounds. While this is an unusually large haul, it is not caused from any increase of the carp, as they are taken out as fast as they multiply. The fish are fed to the domestic trout at the diffrent fish hatcheries throughout the state.

# FUNERAL OF CAPT. KENISON.

Services Held Yesterday for Man Well Known for Kindness to Missionaries.

The funeral of Capt. Henry Kenlson was held yesterday in the mortuary chapel of S. M. Taylor & Co., Bishop J. M. Whitaker of Sugar ward presiding. Music was furnished by the ward choir, the following taking part: E. H. Anderson, Jr., E. M. Bywater, Alice Wheeler, Darle McGhie, Annie Alston and Murion Moffatt. "Come, come, ye Saints." was sung as the first number by request. The opening prayer was offered by Elder John R. Smith, after which the choir sang. "Oh it is wonderful." The speakers were Elders William P. Silver, Raiph Ej. Cowèrd, George B. Freeze and Bishop J. M. Whitaker. The speakers paid tribute to the memory of the dead, praising him for his life's work and for his many kindnesses to elders in the mission field, all having labored in the Samoan mission with which Capt. Kenison was so intimately identified. They spoke works of com-J. M. Whitaker of Sugar ward presid-Capt. Kenison was so intimately identified. They spoke works of comfort and cheer to the bereaved and outlined the principles of the gospel as relating to the future life. The benediction was pronounced by Elder E. H. Anderson, Jr., and the grave in city cemetery was dedicated by Elder Ralph E. Cowerd.

# AT DEVIL'S SLIDE

Robbers Enter Railway Station, Shoot Operator and Loot Building.

#### THIEVES NOT APPREHENDED

Watch Wrenched From Victim's Pocket-Suicide Theory Advanced -No Clues Found.

(Special to The News.) Ogden, Dec. 3 .- S. E. Tuler, Union Pacific agent at Devil's Slide station, 32 miles east of here, is dead as a esult of a gunshot wound in the head, fired it is believed by robbers. The body was found about 3 o'clock this morning in the station. Tuler this morning in the station. Tuler failed to come home late at night as asual, and his wife instituted search, with the result that the bloody remains was soon located. Tuler's watch had been torn from the chain and cannot be found, and it is believed considerable other property was taken but this cannot as yet be determined. A Greek who was near the depot about midnight states that he heard shots in the neighborhood of the building. Tuler was aged about 22 years and was married a month ago to a lady from the cast. He had been with the company since July 1.

company since July 1.

The watch stolen was a Howard, 19-jeweled, open face, gold filled, No. 1076574. Sheriff Hopkins of Morgan, with a

Sheriff Hopkins of Morgan, with a posse, is on the ground.

The station is three-fourths of a mile from the nearest house.

Ralfroad officials here advance the theory of suicide to account for Tuler's death, and it is whispered that he was short in his accounts, but those who advance this idea cannot account for the disapearance of the watch.

#### WATCH BEING KEPT FOR THE MURDERERS

Ogden, Utah, Dec. 3.-The Union Pacific station at Devil's Slide, Utah, 32 miles east of Ogden, was the scene of a murder and robbery at an early hour this morning. The dead body of S. E. Turner, the station agent, was found in the office at 4 o'clock, there being evidence of a desperate struggle. The agent's head had been battered with a heavy instrument, presumably the butt end of a gun, and the place had been looted.

Turner was about 22 years old and Turner was about 22 years old and had been married not more than a month. Failing to return home at his regular hour last night, a search was instituted by his wife, which ended in the startling discovery of his mutilated body where it had fallen in the battle with the robbers. Word was immediately sent to Ogden

and surrounding country and a thorough search of all trains is now being made for the perpetrators of the

# MIGHTY BUSY STORK.

Salt Lake's Birth Record This Week Soars One Hundred Per Cent.

vear has been more conducive to extended population than the corresponding week of 1909 by more than 100 per cent, the population of Salt Lake's necropolis for the same period has increased materially, according to the weekly report of the city health department.

This week has brought 48 brand new native Salt Lakers to town as against 23 of last year, 33 of the old ones have left town over the slow trail along which they never return, while for the same week a year ago, only

28 deaths were reported.

Twenty-two of the newcomers have been boys, while 26 girls are adding their whils of wo to making the night sleepless for fond parents, thus reducing the percentage of future "bachelor girls" or old maids as the result of the week's work of the stork. For the same week in 1993, but eight of the 15 bables brought by the old bird were boys.

Thirty-five cases of contagion were reported during the week. Two of these were smallpox, 16 diphtheria, fouh typhoid fever, six scarlet fever. sleepless for fond parents, thus re-

fouh typhoid fever, six scarlet fever, four measles, two pneumonia and one chicken pox. Four houses are now in quarantine because of smallpox, 21 on account of scarlet fever and 22 because of diphtheria. One case of smallpox is in the isolation hospital.

# TAKEN BACK TO OGDEN.

William Seigel, Chain Gang Escape, Re-arrested and Held.

William Seigel, who escaped from the chain gang in Ogden several weeks ago, where he was serving a sentence for vagrancy, was re-arrested Friday night, after being released by the police here on his own recognizance. gel was held here on suspicion but the local authorities were unable to make a case against him. Although the police knew that he was wanted in Ogden, he was released, so that his wife could secure the \$100 bail she had deposited. Capt. C. C. Brown of Ogden came to Salt Lake last night for his man Pa trolman R. A. Radke arrested Selgel on the street and while he was on his way to the train to leave the city. Seigel will now serve the remainder his sentence in Ogden.

# CHILD NAMED SUPERVISOR.

Board of Education Holds Special Meeting to Make Appointment.

At a special meeting of the board of mendation of Supt. D. H. Christensen mendation of Supt. D. H. Christensen that Supt. W. N. Child of the Utah county schools be appointed supervisor of grammar grades, was favorably acted upon by the board. Supt. Child takes the place made vacant by the death of Supervisor John Welsh.

# SPECIAL ORGAN RECITAL

special organ recital was given at the tabernacie today for Madame Nazimova and company, Prof. J. J. McClellan offi-ciated at the organ.

# APPLE CONGRESS TO BE HELD IN DENVER

To Attend Meeting in Colorado Capital.

Governor William Spry's office is in receipt of an invitation from Gov. J. F Shafroth of Colorado, to name delegates from Utah to attend the first an-nual apple congress to be held in the convention hall of the Albany hotel in Denver, on December 15, 16 and 17.
Calls for this congress have come
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declares Governor Shafroth, and in response to this call he has held conferences with the commercial organiza ences with the commercial organiza-tions, fruit growers' representatives and city officials of Denver with the view to bringing about an annual event look-ing toward the development of the apple industry, the development and care of orchards, the standardization and sys-tematizing of methods in grading and packing apples, equitable freight rates to distant markets and the advertising of the apple industry of western states with the view of interesting settlers on western fruit lands.

western fruit lands. In carrying out the plans devised, sovernors of all states in which apple growing is carried on extensively have een invited to appoint delegates from heir several states on the same basis the delegates from Colorado will be appointed, namely, for each town between 1,000 and 2,500 in population, five delegates; between 2,500 and 5,000, seven; more than 5,000, 10 delegates; from each chamber of commence, board of trade, real estate exchange, commer-cial association, fruit growers associa-tion, fruit company, fruit jobbers asso-clation, three delegates; for each fruit board of county commissioners, one delegate and the members of the state board of immigration, each state horticulturalist, entomologist, horticulturalist of the state agricultural college

and field men of the college each to be vested with the powers of delegates.

Beause of Governor Spry's absence from the city, the matter cannot be acted on immediately, but on account of the importance to the State of Utah of such a congress, it is probable the gavernor will name at least a limited

#### ROOMER ROBBED

E. B. Charles Awakes Minus Watch And His Pocket Book,

When E. B. Charles awoke this morning in his room in the Elk lodging house he discovered he had been robbed of his watch and \$61. He declared that the robbery had been done by either, a hack driver, the housekeper or a domestic employed at the rooming house. With Sergeant J. J. Roberts, Charles went to the rooming house. Moxey Beard, the housekeper, C. A. Beard, a hack-driver, and Grace Newman, a domestic were arrested. After being questioned closely at police headquarters, they all denied having taken the money. A search of the premises was made. A search of the premises was made, but the money could not be found. Complaints were sworn out charging all three with vagrancy. They asked permission until Monday to leave the city in preference to standing trial

# CITY RECEIVES TAX MONEY.

Gideon Snyder, city treasurer, deposited \$375,000 with the National Bank of the Republic this morning to the credit of Salt Lake. This money has been paid in by County Treasurer Groesbeck from taxes collected and is apportioned to the city funds as fol-lows: Contingent, \$165,666,66; street,

# \$120,000; sewer, \$12,500; library, \$8,333.34; bond interest, \$56,250; waterworks, \$56,

FORTY NEW MEMBERS. Board of Governors of Commercial

Club Take Action on Application. Forty new members were added to the roster of the Commercial club at an official meeting of the board of governors of the club held Friday afternoon. Nearly all the applications were after the opening of the new club building. Other names have been tacked on to the bulletin board, but were too late for acton at Friday's meeting. The list of names acted upon Friday is as

follows Resident-W. C. Alexander, William Anderson, Emmett F. Annis, Dr. Louis E. Arnold, Dr. Warren Benjamin, Winfield S. Booker, Joseph J. Cannon, W. S. Conover, George E. Cutler, J. R. Davis, J. M. Evans, Joseph F. Featherstone, E. S. Ferry, E. W. Hannier, O. A. Honnold, Dr. Frederick I. Jansen, U. C. Life, John A. Malla, E. C. Manson, C. W. Morse, W. H. McConnell, Dr. C. W. Nunn, W. H. Paul, Dr. G. B. Pfoutz, Arthur Pratt, L. F. Rains, L. E. Riter, Sol Rosenbaum, Earl V. Smith, Dr. G. Sol Rosenbaum, Earl V. Smith, Dr. C. C. Snyder, Schuyler C. Snyder, Clayton H. Stevens, C. H. Thompson, C. B. Turpin, J. F. Turner, P. L. Williams, Non-Resident—C. N. LeRoux, 1422
Court place, Donver, Leo Nielsen, Logan, Utah; Frank J. Querear of Querear-Shyder Selling convent.

## Querear-Shrader Selling company, Den-ver; A. F. Stevens, Ben Lomond, Cal. TO INTRODUCE RINK POLO.

Manager Omara of the Auditorium roller skating rink, announced this morning that the apparatus which he ordered from the east for roller polo will be shipped in a few days and soon after its arrival here the new game will be introduced to Salt Lake roller fans. The game has proved most popular in the east and also on the coast but is entirely new here. It the coast but is entirely new here. It is planned to organize four teams, three from schools and a city team. For each team an instructor will be employed to teach the game and lead in a series of games. The tournament will run over a period of two or three weeks. It was stated today that while waiting for the apparatus a series of races will be run at the rink. Miss Efraces will be run at the rink. Miss Effect Chatterton, who won the woman's championship last year, has issued a challenge to any Ogden couple to race against her and Lawrence Vance and the race will be run next week.

# REQUISITION FOR ANDERSON.

Requisition papers directed to the governor of Montana were prepared this morning by Acting Governor Charles S, Tingey, asking for the return of C. V. Anderson to Utah. These were turned over to the sheriff, who forwarded them to the Montana executive in Helena, Anderson has agreed to return to the United States from Canada, where he was placed under arrest, and it is not believed requisition papers will be ne essary, and they were prepared merely possible re fusal to return without them.

# KING GEORGE'S FIRST PARLIAMENT

Fight for It Began Today in Sixtynine Constituencies in Great Britain and Ireland.

#### UNIONISTS WORKING HARD

If They Gain Twenty Seats Will Make Tie With Liberal-Labor Party-Nationalists May Control.

London, Dec. 3 .- The fight for control of King George's first parliament with all that such control portends to the future status of the house of lords, home rule for Ireland and tariff reform, began today with polling in 69 constituencies. Early this afternoon 40 unopposed returns had been made which with the 15 unopposed nominations of yesterday brought the aggregate of members elected up to 55. With these figures the state of the parties now stand:

Government coalition-Liberals, 16; Labor members, none; Irish Nationalists, 5.

Opposition-Unionists, 34.

The Unionists are putting up a much stronger fight than in the two previous contests and the betting is even that they will make a net gain of 20 seats, which would put them on an even footing with the Liberals and Laborites combined, thus leaving the Irish Nationalists in absolute control of the next parliament. The Nationalists returned include John Redmond for Waterford, Patrick O'Brien for Kilkenny and J. P. Nanetti for College Green, Dublin. The most prominent Liberals re-elect-

ed are Joseph Walton for Bransley di-vision of York and Sir Dalziel, for Kirkcoldyburger.

The elections which began today con tinue for the next week. The voting today is, however, of unusual importance, as the 69 constituencies, includtance, as the 59 constituencies, includ-ing 10 from London, form about one-tenth of the aggregate membership of the commons, which is 670. There were 15 uncontested results

yesterday which, with the 69 contested results today, will give an aggregate of 84 elections, from which some indication can be formed as to the drift of the struggle. The county of London consists of 60 constituencies, returning each one member, excepting the old city of London, which returns tomor-

#### AMERICAN SAILORS LUNCH AT THE GUILDHALL

London, Dec. 3 .- Sir Thomas Vesey strong, the lord mayor and the corporation of the city of London, today gave a luncheon at the Guildhall to 750 American sallors from the visiting

fleet at Gravesend and Wymouth.

The bluejackets arrived by train at
Charing Cross, headed by Commander Sims of the Minnesota and the ofer Sims of the Minnesota and the of-ficers of staff and accompanied by the band of the Cold Stream guards, which the way office had ordered out for the occasion, marched through the streets in the west end of the city to the ancient hall where so many famous

#### guests have been honored. JAMES HOWARD WILL SEEK VINDICATION

Lexington, Ky., Dec. 3 .- Another man who was convicted in connection with the assassination of Gov. William Goebel will seek "vindication at the polls." James Howard today announced his candidacy for state senator on the Republican ticket in the Seventeenth Ken-tucky senatorial district. Like Caleb Powers, who was elected to Congress from the Eleventh district at the recent election. Powers was pardoned for his alleged connection with the assas-sination of Goebel.

Henry E. Youtsey, who is the only man now in the penitentiary so far serving a life sentence for complicity the Goebel murder swore he almed the gun for Howard and that the latter fired the shot that killed the governor.

# FREDERICK T. ADAMS DEAD.

New York, Dec. 3.-Frederick Thompson Adams, banker, broker and prominent in the yachting world as commodore of the Larchment Yacht club, died today at his home here. He was born in Chicago, 56 years ago, but had lived in this city for 30 years. As a youth he went to sea and made a number of Pacific voyages. He kept up his interest in nautical affairs throughout his life and took a leading part in yachting affairs for many

stock, produce, cotton and coffee ex-changes and was prominently iden-tified with the chamber of commerce

### TRAINMEN DEMAND INCREASED WAGES

Chicago, Dec. 3.—Representatives of approximately 55,000 conductors and trainmen employed on the 60 railroads west of Chicago, who have demanded an inof Chicago, who have demanded an increase in wages averaging about 15 per cent, are holding daily conferences here with the general managers in presenting their arguments for the advance in pay and improvements in working conditions. It is estimated that the new scales asked by the men will exceed in amount those asked by the engineers recently, which argumental and the employes are represented by \$5 grand chairmen of the organization on different roads, two from each road in the case of the larger systems, and by A. B. Garretson, president of the Railroad Conductors, and W. G. Lee, grand master of the Brotherhood of Railway Trainmen.

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Returns of the strike vote being taken on the western roads by the Brotherhood of Locomotive Engineers since the breaking off of negotiations with the managers several weeks ago are being sent from the various roads to the head-quarters of the organization in Cleveland and will be assembled and counted in a meeting in Chicago on Dec. 10.

It is reported that the engineers of several of the big western railroads have already completed their votes showing 19 per cent in favor of a strike unless their demands for a 15 per cent advance are granted. The railroads offered an advance of about 9 per cent.